

## Indiana Department of Environmental Management Office of Water Quality **Wetlands Section**

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**PUBLIC NOTICE** 

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Corps of Engineers ID Number: LRL-2010-757-lcl

Closing Date: February 27, 2011

To all interested parties:

This letter shall serve as a formal notice of the receipt of an application for Section 401 Water Quality Certification by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM). The purpose of the notice is to inform the public of active applications submitted for water quality certification under Section 401 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. § 1341) and to solicit comments and information on any impacts to water quality related to the proposed project. IDEM will evaluate whether the project complies with Indiana's water quality standards as set forth at 327 IAC 2.

1. Applicant:

Mr. Mark Thacker

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Brooklyn, IN 46111

2. Agent: Mr. Brian Catt

> Williams Creek Consulting 919 North East Street Indianapolis, IN 46202

3. Project location:

Sections 26, 35, & 36, Township 13 North, Range 1 East, Mooresville West USGS Quad, Morgan County, The project is located just east of State Route 67, off of East Tidewater Road, near Bethany, Indiana.

4. Affected waterbody:

Unnamed Tributaries to White River

5. Project Description:

The applicant proposes to expand shale surface mining activities with the Brooklyn Haydite Plant. In order to do so, the applicant proposes to impact approximately 917 linear feet of unnamed tributaries to the White River with the excavation of the tributaries. As compensatory mitigation for impacts, the applicant proposes the restoration, stabilization, willow staking, and establishment of an average 100 feet wide native wooded riparian corridor along 917 linear feet of Goose Creek. Please visit the following link for additional information:

http://www.in.gov/idem/5474.htm

Comment period:

Any person or entity who wishes to submit comments or information relevant to the aforementioned project may do so by the closing date noted above. Only comments or information related to water quality or potential impacts of the project on water quality can be considered by IDEM in the water quality certification review process.

Public Hearing:

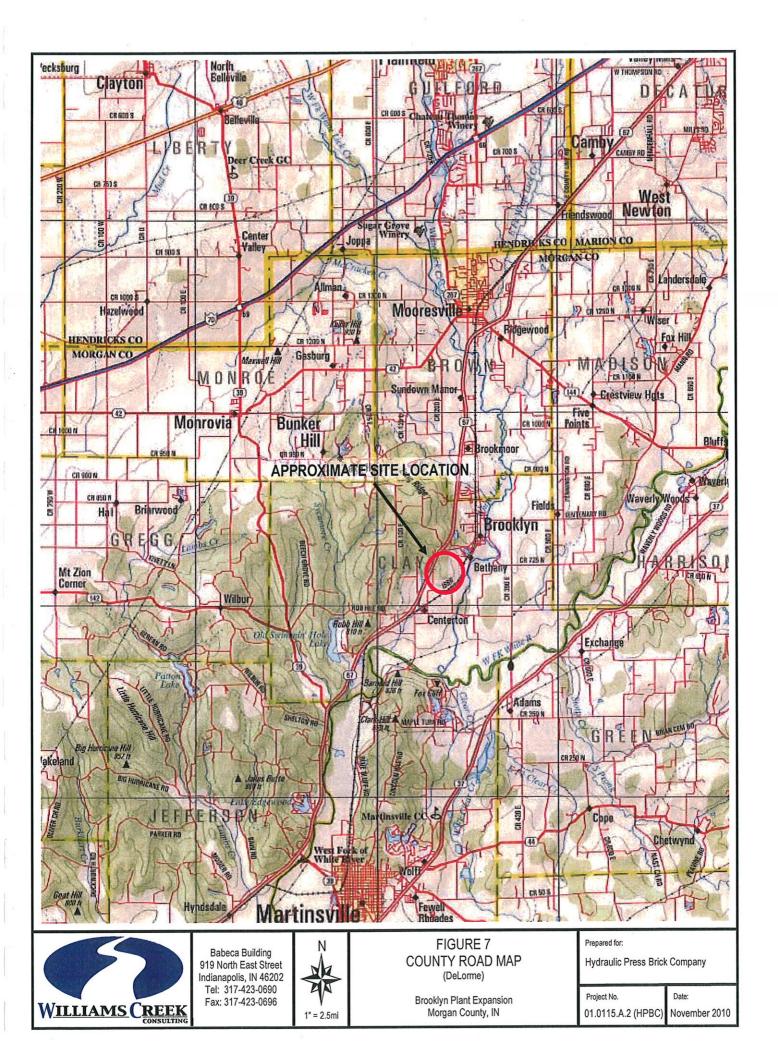
Any person may submit a written request that a public hearing be held to consider issues related to water quality in connection with the project detailed in this notice. The request for a hearing should be submitted within the comment period to be considered timely. The request should also state the reason for the public hearing as specifically as possible to assist IDEM in determining whether a public hearing is warranted.

Questions?

Additional information may be obtained from Mr. David Carr, Project Manager, at 317-234-6350. Please address all correspondence to the project manager and reference the IDEM project identification number listed on this notice. Indicate if you wish to receive a copy of IDEM's final decision. Written comments and inquiries may be forwarded to -

> Indiana Department of Environmental Management 100 North Senate Avenue MC65-42 WOS IGCN 1255

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FIGURE 5 SITE LOCATION MAP (Indiana GIS Atlas)

> Brooklyn Plant Expansion Morgan County, IN

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